



College Uniform Policy

1. SCOPE:

The College Uniform Policy is intended to detail all school uniform items and the manner in which they are to be worn at all times inside and outside of the college grounds.

2. PURPOSE:

Whites Hill State College is committed to enforcing our uniform expectations as supported by the P&C. Uniforms are worn primarily for the safety and wellbeing of our students and help to maintain the good order and management of the school.

3. POLICY STATEMENT:

Students are expected to uphold the uniform expectations (attached) of the college at all times.

Student Services:

When a student is not able to meet the uniform expectations for any reason, they are to report to student services before the school day begins. Students with or without verifiable reasons/notes from parents and caregivers will be expected to borrow/alter their uniform to meet college expectations when items are available for loan.

Loan Items:

Loan items are to be returned to student services at the end of the school day, or the following morning. Loan items that are not returned will be charged to student accounts for replacement payment.

Uniform Passes:

Students who have visited student services will be given a white uniform pass for any item that can't be loaned to them and are at school in a uniform that doesn't meet the college expectations. Students will be expected to produce the uniform slip when requested to any staff member.

Consequences for not meeting Uniform Expectations:

Secondary School students who do not take responsibility to ensure they are meeting college uniform expectations and cannot produce a valid uniform pass should be sent to student services at any time. This student will be given consequences for their actions, usually in the form of a detention.

4. RESPONSIBILITIES:

STUDENTS/PARENTS & CAREGIVERS: to ensure that all students can meet the college uniform expectations at all times.

STAFF: Responsibility to promote all students meeting the college uniform expectations. It is the responsibility of any staff member to question any student at any time that is not meeting the college uniform expectations.

Any secondary student not meeting the uniform expectations should be able to present a white uniform pass printed from ID Attend at any time. If a student is not meeting uniform expectations and cannot produce a pass, they should be sent directly to student services (main administration if closed).



Uniform Expectations

It is the college expectation that all students are in uniform at all times. The uniform listed is specific to Whites Hill State College and is available from the College uniform shop only (www.flexischools.com.au or whscuniforms@gmail.com).

GENERAL PRESENTATION

- Students are subject to school expectations when they can be identified as a Whites Hill State College student.
- Correct and full college uniform is required to be worn when travelling to and from school as well as within the college grounds.
- On formal occasions, all students should wear the formal uniform.
- Each student uniform is to be clean and presentable
- If a student is wearing a non-uniform item of clothing (including shoes), then it is their own responsibility to visit student services before school begins to exchange it for the correct uniform item before attending classes.
- If a student is missing an item of uniform (including shoes, hat, tie, socks, hairband), then it is their own responsibility to visit student services before school begins to borrow the correct item before attending classes.
- Undershirts should be navy (primary only) or white (short or long sleeve) and should be tucked. Underwear should not be visible when wearing the uniform
- WHSC house shirt, may be worn in HPE class, academy (not including interschool sport) or sports carnivals.

HAIR

- Is to be simple, safe, neat and presentable and off the face.
- Colour is to be natural
- Hair that touches or is longer than the shoulder seam on the college shirt is to be tied back
- Long fringes are to be tied back and off the face.
- Accessories, including head scarves, are to be simple and plain in white, black, navy, or maroon (school or neutral colours).
- No severely short cuts (no less than 2 blade), no great variations to hair length in the style, no tracks, patterns or rats tails.
- Boys facial hair should be presentable and well maintained.

HAT

- All students should have a college hat
- No hat, no play policy applies for all year levels

JEWELLERY

- One plain wrist watch may be worn.
- No more than 2 small (<5mm diameter) plain stud, or plain sleepers (approx. < 10mm diameter) may be worn. One stud or sleeper is permitted in each ear.
- Other piercings are not approved by the college as they can be a workplace health and safety hazard
- Whilst in college uniform, such other piercings, existing or new, will be expected to be removed when in uniform, or be pierced with a clear stud only.
- A medical disk bracelet is allowed for approved students
- No other jewellery is permitted and if worn to school it will be confiscated for return at the end of the school day.

MAKE UP AND TATTOOS

- No visible make up is to be worn. Nails should be of clear polish only and have no colour paint.
- Visible tattoos are not permitted as part of the college uniform.
- If a student has an existing tattoo, they are to be covered as negotiated with the school.



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		Uniform	When uniform is to be worn
Prep to year 6	Formal uniform	WHSC check shirt and navy skort/shorts WHSC hat WHSC fleece or track jacket WHSC socks or navy tights under uniform instead of socks. Full length navy pants with black socks Black leather joggers or formal black hard leather (not suede) dress shoes that can be polished. (may be black lace up, buckle or Velcro)	All days, except day of weekly HPE lesson. Additionally, not worn on Fridays by Year 5 and 6 students.
	Sports uniform	WHSC polo shirt (maroon stripe) and WHSC sport short (maroon stripe) WHSC hat WHSC fleece or track jacket WHSC track pant WHSC socks Supportive sport joggers (preferably black or white)	The day of the weekly HPE lesson. Year 5 and 6 students additionally are to wear sports uniform on Fridays.
Years 7 to 9	Formal uniform	WHSC blue blouse and WHSC crossover maroon tie / WHSC blue shirt WHSC navy formal skirt or shorts or Full-length navy pants with black socks <i>(It is a uniform requirement that skirts should be no shorter than knee length.)</i> WHSC socks or navy stockings under uniform instead of socks Formal black hard leather (not suede) dress shoes that can be polished or black leather joggers (Velcro or black laces) WHSC fleece or track jacket WHSC hat	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and for formal events or Whole of College parades.
	Sports uniform	WHSC Junior Secondary polo shirt (sky blue stripe) WHSC Navy sports shorts (sky blue stripe) or WHSC track pant <i>(It is a uniform requirement that shorts may not be rolled up and must be worn at the appropriate length.)</i> WHSC socks WHSC hat WHSC fleece or track jacket Black leather joggers (velcro or black laces) or supportive sports jogger (preferably black or white) **Full black leather shoe must be worn where required for health and safety (eg. Science Lab, Kitchens, Technology) when in sports uniform. Option to bring non leather sports joggers (lace up or velcro) to change into for HPE, lunchbreaks, or academy program.**	Tuesday. Additionally, sports uniform to be brought to school to change into for HPE practical lessons. On these days, formal uniform is to be worn to and from the college.
Years 10 to 12	Formal uniform	WHSC white blouse with WHSC tie/ WHSC white shirt with WHSC tie or long sleeve white business shirt (required term 2 and 3 only). WHSC navy formal skirt or shorts or Navy full length pants with black socks <i>(It is a uniform requirement that skirts should be no shorter than knee length.)</i> Formal black hard leather (not suede) dress shoes (with black laces) that can be polished. WHSC socks or navy stockings under uniform instead of socks WHSC fleece or track jacket WHSC hat Yr 12's can wear their own Senior jersey on any school day.	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and for formal events or Whole of College parades. Throughout term 2 and 3, boys are to wear shirt tucked in with tie knotted at the neck.
	Sports uniform	WHSC Senior Secondary polo shirt (white stripe) WHSC Navy sports shorts (white stripe) or WHSC track pants. <i>(It is a uniform requirement that shorts may not be rolled up and must be worn at the appropriate length.)</i> WHSC socks Supportive sports jogger (preferably black or white) WHSC fleece or track jacket (or yr 12 only - WHSC senior jersey) WHSC hat **Full black leather shoe must be worn where required for health and safety (eg. Science Lab, Kitchens, Technology) when in sports uniform. Option to bring non leather sports joggers (lace up or velcro) to change into for HPE, lunchbreaks, or academy program.**	Wednesday. Additionally, sports uniform to be brought to school to change into for HPE practical lessons. On these days, formal uniform is to be worn to and from the college.

Choosing to not comply with the uniform policy and expectations may attract consequences



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ACCEPTABLE FORMAL SHOES



ACCEPTABLE SPORTS SHOES



* Senior Boys Formal Summer version shown*